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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

DIGITAL-TO-ANALOG CONVERTER

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- 19 pages of Specification/Claims 1-9/Abstract are attached.
- Formal drawings (Figs). 1 4; 4 sheets are attached.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- An assignment of the invention to Pioneer Corporation is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- Priority of foreign application No. 2002-216959 filed July 25, 2002 both in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- \boxtimes A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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BASIC FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	9 - 20	= 0		
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				

SMALL ENTITY				
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>		
	\$ 375	<u>OR</u>		
x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
x 42 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
+140 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
TOTAL	\$	<u>OR</u>		

LARGE ENTITY		
RATE	FEE	
	\$ 750	
x 18	\$	
x 84	\$	
+280	\$	
TOTAL	\$ 750	

 \boxtimes A check in the amount of \$790.00 (\$750 for the filing fee and \$40 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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